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Notification

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The following notifications received from the Government of India, Ministry of Labour New Delhi, are hereby republished for general information of the public.

M. S. Borkar, Under Secretary (Law).

Panaji, 6th March, 1976.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA

MINISTRY OF LABOUR

New Delhi, dated 9th January, 1976

Notification

G. S. R. — In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (1) of section 37 of the Apprentices Act, 1961 (52 of 1961), and after consulting the Central Apprenticeship Council, the Central Government hereby makes the following rules further to amend the Apprenticeship Rules, 1962, namely:—

1. (1) These rules may be called the Apprenticeship (Amendment) Rules, 1976.

(2) They shall come into force on the date of their publication in the Official Gazette.

2. In the Apprenticeship Rules, 1962:—

(1) In sub-rule (1) of rule 5, in the Table, under the heading "Group No. 14 — Printing trades group",—

(a) in sub-group (i),—

(i) against item 1, for the entry in column 3, the entry "two years" shall be substituted;

(ii) against item 4, for the entry in column 3, the entry "two years" shall be substituted;

(b) in sub-group (ii) against item 5, in the entry in column 2, for the word "Machineman", the word "Machineminder" shall be substituted;

(c) in sub-group (iv) against item 9, for the entry in column 3, the entry "two years" shall be substituted;

(2) In Schedule I, for serial number 48 to 57 and the entries relating thereto, the following serial numbers and entries shall be substituted, namely:—

1	2	3	4
48.	Blacksmith	Passed the 8th class examination or its equivalent.	—
49.	Pattern Maker		—
50.	Moulder		—
51.	Sheet Metal Worker		—
52.	Carpenter		—
53.	Welder (Gas and Electric)	Pass in Matriculation examination or its equivalent or the tenth class under the 10+2 system.	—
54.	Brick Mason / Building Constructor		—
55.	Letterpress Machineminder (Platen and Cylinder)		—
56.	Book Binder	Passed the 8th class examination or its equivalent.	—
57.	Mechanic (Dairy Maintenance)		—

No. DGET-51(5)/III/74-AP(ii)

Sd/-

P. R. NAYAR

Deputy Secretary to the Govt. of India.

New Delhi, dated January 9, 1976

Order

G. S. R. — In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (1) of section 8 of the Apprentices Act, 1961 (52 of 1961), and in supersession of the notification of the Government of India in the Directorate General of Employment and Training, the late Ministry of Labour, Employment and Rehabilitation No. G. S. R. 8 dated the 20th December, 1966, the Central Government after consulting the Central Apprenticeship Council, hereby determines that for the designated trade specified in column 1 of the Table below, the ratio of trade apprentices to

workers other than unskilled workers in that trade, shall be as indicated in column 3 thereof:—

THE TABLE

Designated trade	Code number of National Classification of Occupations (1968 pattern)	Ratio	
		Trade apprentices	Workers other than unskilled
1	2	3	
1. Book Binder	808.10	1	7

No. DGET-51 (5) /III/74-AP(i)

Sd/-

(P. R. NAYAR)

Deputy Secretary to the Govt. of India.

Notification

New Delhi, the 23rd August, 1975

G. S. R. 459(E).—In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (1) of Section 37, read with Section 3 and 3A of the Apprentices Act, 1961 (52 of 1961), and after consulting the Central Apprenticeship Council, the Central Government hereby

"SCHEDULE I

Sr. No.	Designated Trade	Minimum Educational Qualifications	
		Essential	Desirable
1	2	3	4
1. Instrument Mechanic (Chemical)		Pass in Matriculation Examination or its equivalent, or the tenth class under the 10+2 system with Physics, Chemistry and Mathematics.	—
2. Laboratory Assistant			
3. Attendant Operator		Pass in Matriculation Examination or its equivalent or the tenth class under the 10+2 system with Commerce as special subject.	—
4. Book Keeping and Accountancy			
5. Store Keeper (including Purchaser)			
6. Cashier (General)			
7. Sales Assistant (General)			
8. Clerk (General)			
9. Cook (General)			
10. Cook (Vegetarian)		Pass in Matriculation Examination or its equivalent or the tenth class under the 10+2 system.	—
11. Steward			
12. Baker or Confectioner			
13. House Keeper			
14. Hotel clerk or Receptionist			
15. Process Cameraman		Pass in Matriculation Examination or its equivalent or tenth class under 10+2 system with Physics and Chemistry.	—
16. Retoucher Lithographic			
17. Engraver			
18. Mechanic (Maintenance Chemical Plant)		Pass in Matriculation Examination or its equivalent or tenth class under 10+2 system with Science as one of the subject.	—
19. Boiler Attendant			
20. Fitter Structural		Pass in Matriculation Examination or its equivalent or the tenth class under the 10+2 system with Science and Drawings as subjects.	—
21. Draughtsman Civil			
22. Draughtsman Mechanical		Pass in Matriculation Examination or its equivalent or the tenth class under the 10+2 system with Science and Mathematics as elective subjects.	—
23. Surveyor			
24. Millwright/Mechanic (Maintenance)			
25. Tool and Die Maker			
26. Instrument Mechanic		Pass in Matriculation Examination or its equivalent or the tenth class under the 10+2 system.	Should have Science as one of the subjects.
27. Refrigeration and Air Conditioning Mechanic			
28. Electrician			

makes the following rules further to amend the Apprenticeship Rules, 1962, namely:—

1. (1) These rules may be called the Apprenticeship (Fourth Amendment) Rules, 1975.

(2) They shall come into force on the date of their publication in the Official Gazette.

2. In the Apprenticeship Rules, 1962:—

(i) in rule 4A for the expression "columns (2) and (3)" the expression "columns (3) and (4)" shall be substituted;

(ii) in sub-rule (1) of rule 5,—

(a) under the heading "Group No. 6 — Maintenance trades group", in the entry against item 2, for the expression "Mechanic (Textile Machinery)", the expression "Mechanic Maintenance (Textile Machinery)" shall be substituted;

(b) under the heading "Group No. 16 — Textile Trades Group" after item 3 and the entries relating thereto, the following item number and entries shall be inserted namely:—

"4. Winder 702.40 Six months";

(c) after group No. 19, the following group, items and entries shall be inserted namely:—

Group No. 20 — Cutting and Tailoring trades group:

1. Designer and 794.60 Two years"
Master Cutter 794.40

(iii) for Schedule I, the following Schedule shall be substituted, namely:—

1	2	3	4
29. Compositor Hand		Pass in Matriculation Examination or its equivalent or the tenth class under the 10+2 system with proficiency in English and any Regional language.	
30. Lino Operator			
31. Mono Operator			
32. Mono Caster			
33. Steam Turbine Operator		Pass in Matriculation or its equivalent or the tenth class under the 10+2 system.	
34. Switch Board Attendant			
35. Mechanic Maintenance (Textile Machinery)			
36. Designer and Master Cutter			
37. Fitter			Pass in Matriculation Examination or its equivalent or the 10th class under the 10+2 system with Science as one of the subjects. (For serial numbers 30 to 47 (both inclusive) only).
38. Turner			
39. Machinist			
40. Machinist (Grinder)			
41. Lineman		Passed the 8th class examination or its equivalent.	
42. Wireman			
43. Mechanic (Motor vehicle)			
44. Mechanic (Diesel)			
45. Mechanic (Tractor)			
46. Mechanic (Earth Moving Machinery)			
47. Plumber			
48. Blacksmith			
49. Pattern Maker			
50. Moulder			
51. Sheet Metal Worker			
52. Carpenter		Passed the 8th class examination or its equivalent.	
53. Welder (Gas and Electric)			
54. Brick Mason (Building constructor)			
55. Letter Press Machine Man (Platten and Cylinder)			
56. Book Binder			
57. Mechanic (Dairy Maintenance)			
58. Weaver		Passed the 7th class Examination or its equivalent.	
59. Brick layer			
60. Doffer-cum-Pireer			
61. Tenter (Drawing and Speed Fly Frames)		Passed the 5th class Examination.	
62. Winder			

(iv) for schedule IIA, the following Schedule shall be substituted, namely:—

SCHEDULE IIA
(See Rule 4A)

Sr. No.	Name of State	Ratio of Scheduled Castes Apprentices to the total Apprentices	Ratio of Scheduled Tribes Apprentices to the total Apprentices
1	2	3	4
1. Andhra Pradesh		1:8	1:20
2. Assam		1:17	1:9
3. Bihar		1:7	1:11
4. Gujarat		1:14	1:7
5. Haryana		1:5	1:20
6. Himachal Pradesh		1:5	1:20
7. Jammu & Kashmir		1:12	1:20
8. Karnataka		1:8	1:20
9. Kerala		1:11	1:20
10. Madhya Pradesh		1:8	1:5
11. Maharashtra		1:17	1:17
12. Manipur		1:50	1:3
13. Meghalaya		1:100	1:2
14. Nagaland		—	1:2
15. Orissa		1:7	1:4
16. Punjab		1:4	1:20
17. Rajasthan		1:6	1:8
18. Tamil Nadu		1:6	1:20
19. Tripura		1:8	1:3
20. Uttar Pradesh		1:5	1:20
21. West Bengal		1:5	1:17
22. Andaman and Nicobar Islands		—	1:6
23. Arunachal Pradesh		—	1:2
24. Chandigarh		1:8	1:20
25. Dadra and Nagar Haveli		1:50	1:2

1	2	3	4
26. Delhi		1:6	1:13
27. Goa, Daman and Diu		1:50	1:20
28. Lakshdeep		—	1:2
29. Mizoram		—	1:2
30. Pondicherry		1:6	1:20"

No. DGET-37/1/75-AP.

G. S. R. 460(E). — In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (1) of Section 27 of the Apprentices Act, 1961 (52 of 1961), the Central Government hereby appoints the Deputy Educational Adviser (Technical) in the Ministry of Education and Social Welfare Department of Education, New Delhi as Additional Apprenticeship Adviser with the designation of Additional Central Apprenticeship Adviser to assist the Central Apprenticeship Adviser in the performance of his functions.

No. DGET-27/1/75-AP(i)

G. S. R. 461(E). — In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (1) of Section 27 of the Apprentices Act, 1961 (52 of 1961), the Central Government hereby appoints the officers of the Regional Boards of Apprenticeship Training sponsored by the Ministry of Education and Social Welfare mentioned in column 2 of the Schedule annexed hereto as Assistant Apprenticeship Advisers with the designations as shown in column 3 thereof to assist the Central Apprenticeship Adviser in the performance of his functions.

THE SCHEDULE

Sr. No.	Post held	Designated as
1	2	3
1.	Training Officer, Regional Board of Apprenticeship Training, Kanpur.	Assistant Central Apprenticeship Adviser.
2.	Training Officer, Regional Board of Apprenticeship Training, Calcutta.	Assistant Central Apprenticeship Adviser.
3.	Training Officer, Regional Board of Apprenticeship Training, Madras.	Assistant Central Apprenticeship Adviser.
4.	Training Officer, Regional Board of Apprenticeship Training, Bombay.	Assistant Central Apprenticeship Adviser.

No. DGET-27/1/75-AP(ii)

G. S. R. 462(E). — In exercise of the powers conferred by clause (e) of Section 2 of the Apprentices Act, 1961 (52 of 1961), and after consultation with the Central Apprenticeship Council, the Central Government hereby specifies the following subject fields in engineering and technology as designated trades for the purposes of the Act, namely: —

1. Civil Engineering
2. Irrigation Engineering
3. Public Health Engineering
4. Structural Engineering
5. Dam Engineering
6. Highway Engineering
7. Construction Technology
8. Mechanical Engineering
9. Refrigeration and Air Conditioning
10. Machine Tool Technology
11. Production Engineering
12. Automobile Engineering
13. Electrical Engineering
14. Electronics and Telecommunication Engineering
15. Computer Engineering
16. Television Engineering
17. Industrial Electronics
18. Radio and Electronic Engineering
19. Nuclear Engineering
20. Avionics
21. Metallurgy
22. Textile Engineering
23. Agricultural Engineering
24. Chemical Engineering
25. Sugar Technology
26. Marine Engineering
27. Nautical Engineering
28. Aeronautical Engineering
29. Mining
30. Plastic Technology
31. Textile Chemistry
32. Naval Architecture
33. Architecture
34. Regional and Town Planning
35. Textile Technology
36. Glass Technology
37. Ceramic Technology
38. Silicate Technology
39. Pharmaceutical Science
40. Oil and Soap Technology
41. Pigment and Paint Technology
42. Dye stuff Technology

43. Printing Technology
44. Leather Technology
45. Leather goods and Foot Wear Manufacture
46. Rubber Technology
47. Food Technology
48. Bio-Chemical Engineering
49. Instrumentation Technology
50. Petroleum Engineering
51. Petroleum Technology
52. Applied Geology
53. Applied Geophysics
54. Jute Technology
55. Paper Technology
56. Catering Technology
57. Plastic Engineering

No. DGET-2/2/75-AP.

G. S. R. 463(E) — In pursuance of clause (a) of sub-section 4 of Section 1 of the Apprentices Act, 1961 (52 of 1961), the Central Government hereby makes, with effect from the date of publication of the notification in the Official Gazette, the following further amendment in the notification of the Government of India in the late Ministry of Labour and Employment No. G. S. R. 247 dated the 12th February, 1962, namely: —

In the said notification, after the existing entries, the following entries shall be inserted namely: —

Major Group (Code)	Description	Minor Group (Code)
1	2	3
31	Leather and Leather products	Repair of shoes and other leather footwear 31
35	Non-metallic mineral products other than petroleum and coal	Manufacture of glass bangles and beads 353
61	Wholesale trade	Wholesale trading in medicines and chemicals 610
		Wholesale trading in toilets, perfumery and cosmetics 612
		Wholesale trading in wooden, steel and other metallic furniture and fittings 614
63	Wholesale trade	Wholesale trading in all kinds of transport and storage equipment 633
65	Retail trade	Retail trading in fibres, yarns, dhoti, saree, readymade garments of cotton, wool, silk and other textiles and hosiery products. (This includes retail trading in piece goods of cotton, wool, silk, and other textiles) 650
		Retail trading in petrol, mobiloil and allied products 655
68	Retail trade	Retail trading in transport and storage equipment 681

1	2	3
	Retail trading in electrical goods like electric fan, bulb etc.	682
	Retail trading in musical instruments, gramophone record, pictures and paintings including curic dealing	687
69 Trade and Commerce Miscellaneous	Importing and exporting of goods and commodities	690
	Provident Funds and Insurances	693
	Distribution of motion pictures	697
87 Recreation Services	Production of motion pictures and allied services such as processing, editing etc.	870

No. DGET/1/1/75-AP

G. S. R. 464(E) — In exercise of the powers conferred by clause (e) of Section 2 of the Apprentices Act, 1961 (52 of 1961), and after consultation with the Central Apprenticeship Council, the Central Government hereby specifies the following trades as designated trades for the purposes of said Act, namely: —

Trade	Code Number * National Classification of Occupations (1968 pattern)
1. Designer and Master cutter	794.60, 794.40
2. Winder	702.70

* The reference is to National Classification of Occupations adopted by the Government of India in the Ministry of Labour (Directorate General of Employment and Training).

[No. DGET-51(19)/75-AP(i)]

G. S. R. 465(E). — In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (1) of Section 8 of the Apprentices Act, 1961 (52 of 1961), the Central Government, after consulting the Central Apprenticeship Council, hereby determines that for each of the designated trades specified in column 1 of the Table below, the ratio of apprentices to workers other than unskilled workers in that trade shall be as indicated in column 3 thereof: —

TABLE

Designated Trade	Code number of National Classification of Occupations (1968) pattern	Ratio	
		Appren- tices	Workers other than unskilled workers
1	2	3	4
1. Designer and Master cutter	794.40 794.60	I	5
2. Winder	702.70	I	50

[No. DGET-51(19)/75-AP(ii)]

G. S. R. 466(E). — In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (1) of Section 8 of the Appren-

tices Act, 1961 (52 of 1961), and in supersession of the notification of the Government of India in the Directorate General of Employment and Training, the late Ministry of Labour, Employment and Rehabilitation No. G. S. R. 734 dated the 6th April, 1968 and the notification of the Government of India in the late Ministry of Labour, Employment and Rehabilitation (Department of Labour and Employment) No. G. S. R. 571 dated the 7th April, 1971, the Central Government after consulting the Central Apprenticeship Council, hereby determines that for each of the designated trades specified in column 1 of the Table below, the ratio of apprentices to workers other than unskilled workers in that trade shall be as indicated in column 3 thereof: —

TABLE

Designated Trade	Code No. (s) of National Classification of Occupa- tions (1968 pattern)	Ratio	
		Appren- tices	Workers other than unskilled workers
1	2	3	4
1. Weaver	704.50	1	50
2. Tenter Drawing and Speed/Fly Frames	702.10 702.13 702.16	1	25
3. Doffer-cum-plecer	702.35 702.00	1	50

[No. DGET-51(19)/75-AP(iii)]

ISHWAR CHANDRA

Jt. Secretary.

Notification

LD/4186/76

The following Notification received from the Government of India, Ministry of Labour New Delhi, is hereby republished for general information of the public.

B. S. Subbanna, Draftsman.

Panaji, 8th September, 1976.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA

(BHARAT SARKAR)

MINISTRY OF LABOUR

(SHRAM MANTRALAYA)

Dated New Delhi-110001, the 23rd July 1976.

Notification

S. O. — The following proposals made by the Central Government in exercise of the powers conferred by clause (a) of sub-section (1) of section 2, read with clause (iii) of sub-section (1) of section 4 of the Minimum Wages Act, 1948 (11 of 1948), for fixing the minimum rates of wages as specified in column 2 of the Schedule annexed hereto, payable to

the categories of employees employed in employ-
ments in —

- i) quartzite Mines;
- ii) quartz Mines; and
- iii) Silica Mines.

specified in the corresponding entries in column 1 of the said Schedule, are hereby published, as re-
quired by clause (b) of sub-section (1) of section 5 of the said Act, for information of all persons likely to be affected thereby and notice is hereby given that the said proposals will be taken into considera-
tion after the expiry of seventy five days from the date of the publication of this notification in the Official Gazette.

Any objection or suggestion which may be received from any person with respect to the said proposals before the expiry of the period specified above will be duly considered by the Central Government.

THE SCHEDULE

Classification of work	Minimum rates of wages per day
(1)	(2)
Unskilled	
Mazdoor (Male & Female), Chowkidar, Coolie, Khalasi, Cleaner, Loader, Hole cutter, Earth-cutter, Carrier (Stone), Carrier, Cartman, Caretaker, Concrete (Hand Mixer), Driver (Bullock, Camel, Donkey, Mule), Lampman, Malli, Petrolman, Whitewasher, Waterman, Other categories by whatever name called which are unskilled	Rs. 5.80
Semi-Skilled	
Bhisti, Breaker, Driller, Miner, Cook, Creche Ayah, Head Chowkidar, Helper, Muccadam, Mate, Oilman, Pump Khalasi, Shot Firer, Head Mistry, Quarry man, Quarry Operator, Store man, Stocker, Boilerman, Thatcher, Thoombaman, Tindals, Trolleyman, Jamadar, Bearer, White washer, Brakesman, Helper (Loco, Crane, Truck), Topaz Topkar (Big/Quartzite/Quartz Breaker), Hedge Runner, Pack Wal-lers, Timberman, Jack Hammer, Fire Clay press or drying and refining workers, other categories by whatever name called which are semi-skilled	Rs. 7.25
Skilled	
Blacksmith, Carpenter, Compounder, Electrician, Shot firer, White washer, Foreman, Fitter, Mines Supervisor, Tailor, Head Cook, Engine man, Welder, Blaster, Machinist, Head Mistry, Sub-overseer (Unqualified), Surveyor, Opera-tor, Boiler man, any other categories by what-ever name called which are of skilled nature ...	Rs. 8.70
Clerical	
Accountant, M. C. Clerk, Munshi, Store clerk, Store issuer, Store keeper (Gr. I & II), Talley Clerk, Time keeper, Tool keeper, Computer, Typist, Steno, Record Keeper, other categories by whatever name called which are clerical ...	Rs. 8.70

Explanations:

1. The minimum rates of wages proposed by this notification are all inclusive rates including the basic rate, the cost of living allowance and the cash value of concessional supply, if any, of essential commo-dities and also include the wages payable for the weekly day of rest.

2. The minimum rates of wages are applicable to employees employed by contractors also.

3. Where the prevailing rates of wages based on contract or agreement or otherwise, are higher than the rates proposed by this notification the higher rates would be protected and treated as minimum rates of wages for the purposes of this notification.

4. The minimum rates of wages for disabled per-sons and for persons below eighteen years of age shall be seventy per cent and eighty per cent respec-tively of the rates payable to adult workers of the appropriate category.

5. For the purpose of this notification,—

(a) “Unskilled work” is work which involves simple operations requiring little or no skill or experience on the job;

(b) “Semi-skilled work” is work which in-volves some degree of skill or competence ac-quired through experience on the job and which is capable of being performed under the super-vision of guidance of a skilled employee, and includes unskilled supervisory work;

(c) “Skilled work” is work which involves skill or competence acquired through experience on the job or through training as an apprentice or in a technical or vocational institute and the performance of which calls for initiative and judgment.

Sd/-

(T. S. SANKARAN)

Joint Secretary

[S-32017(2)/74-WC(MW)]

Notification

LD/320/77

The following Notification received from the Go-vernment of India, Ministry of Shipping and Trans-port New Delhi, is hereby republished for general information of the public.

B. S. Subbanna, Under Secretary (Law).

Panaji, 27th January, 1977.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA

MINISTRY OF SHIPPING AND TRANSPORT

(Transport Wing)

New Delhi, the 17th December, 1976

Notification

G. S. R. — In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (11) of section 63 of the Motor Vehicles Act, 1939 (4 of 1939), and in supersession of the notification of the Government of India in the Mi-nistry of Shipping and Transport No. GSR 518 (E), dated the 4th October, 1975, the Central Government hereby specifies the number of national permits spe-cified in column 3 of the table below, which the

appropriate authority of a State mentioned in the corresponding entry in column 2 of the said table may, for the purposes of encouraging long distance inter-state road transport, grant to the public carriers in relation to that State.

TABLE

S. No.	Name of the State	Number of national permits
1	2	3
1.	Andhra Pradesh, Assam, Bihar, Gujarat, Maharashtra, Uttar Pradesh and West Bengal.	450 each
2.	Kerala, Madhya Pradesh, Karnataka, Orissa, Punjab, Rajasthan, Tamil Nadu and Delhi.	400 each
3.	Haryana.	350
4.	Himachal Pradesh and Jammu and Kashmir.	300 each
5.	Goa, Daman and Diu.	250
6.	Meghalaya, Nagaland, Sikkim, Chandigarh, Dadra and Nagar Haveli, Manipur, Pondicherry, Tripura, Arunachal Pradesh and Mizoram.	50 each

Sd/-

(B. B. Mahajan)

Jt. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

[F. No. TIT(32)/76]

Notification

LD/462/77

The following Notification received from the Government of India, Ministry of Labour New Delhi, is hereby republished for general information of the public.

B. S. Subbanna, Under Secretary (Law).

Panaji, 29th January, 1977.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA

(BHARAT SARKAR)

MINISTRY OF LABOUR

(SHRAM MANTRALAYA)

Dated New Delhi, the 24th December, 1976

Notification

S. O.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (1) of section 5A of the Employees' Provident Funds and Miscellaneous Provisions Act, 1952 (19 of 1952), and in supersession of the notification of the Government of India in the Ministry of Labour S. O. No. 2121, dated the 4th June, 1976, published in Part II, Section 3(ii) of the Gazette of India, dated the 19th June, 1976, the Central Government hereby appoints, the Secretary to the Government of India, Ministry of Labour, as the Chairman of the Central Board of Trustees and makes the following further

amendment in the notification of the Government of India in the Ministry of Labour No. S. O. 236, dated the 16th December, 1975, namely:—

In the said notification for the entry against Serial No. 1, the following entry shall be substituted, namely:—

"The Secretary to the Government of India, Ministry of Labour, New Delhi".

[No. V.20012(1)/75-PFII]

Sd/-

(S. S. SAHASRANAMAN)
Deputy Secretary.

Notification

LD/721/77

The following Ordinance which was promulgated by the President of India on 2-2-1977 is hereby republished for general information of the public.

B. S. Subbanna, Under Secretary (Law).

Panaji, 9th February, 1977.

MINISTRY OF LAW, JUSTICE AND COMPANY AFFAIRS

(Legislative Department)

New Delhi, the 2nd February, 1977/
Magha 13, 1898 (Saka)THE REPRESENTATION OF THE PEOPLE
(AMENDMENT) ORDINANCE, 1977

No. 1 of 1977

Promulgated by the President in the Twenty-eight Year of the Republic of India.

An Ordinance further to amend the Representation of the People Act, 1951.

Whereas the House of the People has been dissolved and the Council of States is not in session and the President is satisfied that circumstances exist which render it necessary for him to take immediate action;

Now, Therefore, in exercise of the powers conferred by clause (1) of article 123 of the Constitution, the President is pleased to promulgate the following Ordinance:—

1. *Short title and commencement.*—(1) This Ordinance may be called the Representation of the People (Amendment) Ordinance, 1977.

(2) It shall come into force at once.

2. *Act No. 43 of 1951 to be temporarily amended.*—During the period of operation of this Ordinance, the Representation of the People Act, 1951 (hereinafter referred to as the principal Act), shall have effect subject to the amendments specified in sections 3 to 7.

3. *Amendment of section 8.*—In section 8 of the principal Act, in sub-section (2), for the words

"five years", in the two places where they occur, the words "six years" shall be substituted.

4. *Amendment of section 8A.* — In section 8A of the principal Act, in sub-section (3), for the words "shall obtain the opinion of the Election Commission on such question or petition and shall act according to such opinion", the words "shall consult the Election Commission and the Election Commission may, for this purpose, make such inquiry as it thinks fit" shall be substituted.

5. *Amendment of section 9.* — In section 9 of the principal Act, in sub-section (1), for the words "five years", the words "six years" shall be substituted.

6. *Amendment of section 33.* — In section 33 of the principal Act, in sub-section (3), for the words, brackets, letter and figure "clause (f) of section 7", the word and figure "section 9" and for the words "five years", the words "six years" shall be substituted.

7. *Insertion of new section 132A.* — After section 132 of the principal Act, the following section shall be inserted, namely: —

"132A. *Penalty for failure to observe procedure for voting.* — If any elector to whom a ballot paper has been issued, refuses to observe the procedure prescribed for voting, the ballot paper issued to him shall be liable for cancellation."

FAKHRUDDIN ALI AHMED,
President.

K. K. SUNDARAM,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

Notification

LD/600/77

The following Notification received from the Government of India, Ministry of Law, Justice and

Company Affairs, New Delhi, is hereby republished for general information of the public.

B. S. Subbanna, Under Secretary (Law).

Panaji, 3rd February, 1977.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA

MINISTRY OF LAW, JUSTICE AND COMPANY AFFAIRS

(Legislative Department)

New Delhi, the 21 January, 1977

Notification

S.O. In exercise of the powers conferred by section 28 of the Representation of the People Act, 1950, (43 of 1950), the Central Government, after consulting the Election Commission, hereby makes the following rules further to amend the Registration of Electors Rules, 1960, namely: —

1. **Short title.** — These rules may be called the Registration of Electors (Amendment) Rules, 1977.

2. **Amendment of rule 12.** — For rule 12 of the Registration of Electors Rules, 1960, the following rule shall be substituted, namely: —

"12. **Period for lodging claims and objections.** — Every claim for the inclusion of a name in the roll and every objection to an entry therein shall be lodged within a period of thirty days from the date of publication of the roll in draft under rule 10, or such shorter period of not less than fifteen days as may be fixed by the Election Commission in this behalf:

Provided that the Election Commission may, by notification in the Official Gazette, extend the period in respect of the constituency as a whole or in respect of any part thereof."

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(E. VENKATESHWARAN)

Joint Secretary